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Tobacco: Legal or Illegal?

Do you know a friend or family member that smokes? Do you know the effects of it? Using tobacco is a very bad and harmful choice. I think that tobacco should be illegal.

Tobacco is not only harmful to its users. The toxins in the smoke of cigarettes can leak into the air, making others sick. Not only do others suffer ill effects of the toxins in smoke, but the smoke itself could trigger asthma or respiratory problems. In fact, studies show that for every 1 person dead from tobacco use, 20 others suffer serious illness from it. Approximately 21% of the USA’s population smokes. Would YOU really want to suffer because 45.3 million other Americans choose to smoke tobacco?

Tobacco is also a waste of money. The nicotine in tobacco makes it highly addictive. The more addictive tobacco is, the more often you have to buy it. Tobacco can become a bad habit, and you have to pay for all of the tobacco you use. Cigarettes, chews, orbs, etc. Cost lots of money. At $6.22 a pack, cigarette prices can add up. You could save a lot of money by NOT using tobacco products.

Tobacco is prohibited in many public places too. Many non- tobacco users try to avoid suffering illness by being in/near tobacco-free environments. In many restaurants, airports, stadiums, and other public places, tobacco is prohibited and illegal. Why not get rid of it altogether?

Like I said, tobacco is harmful to EVERYBODY around it. It wastes money, time, and even your life. Next time you see tobacco at a store, remember, do you REALLY want such harmful stuff on the market and LEGAL?